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VENDING MACHINES

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**AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING A
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**

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Dear Madam:

In response to the Final Office Action dated July 17, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows. This amendment accompanies a Request for Continued Examination (RCE).

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